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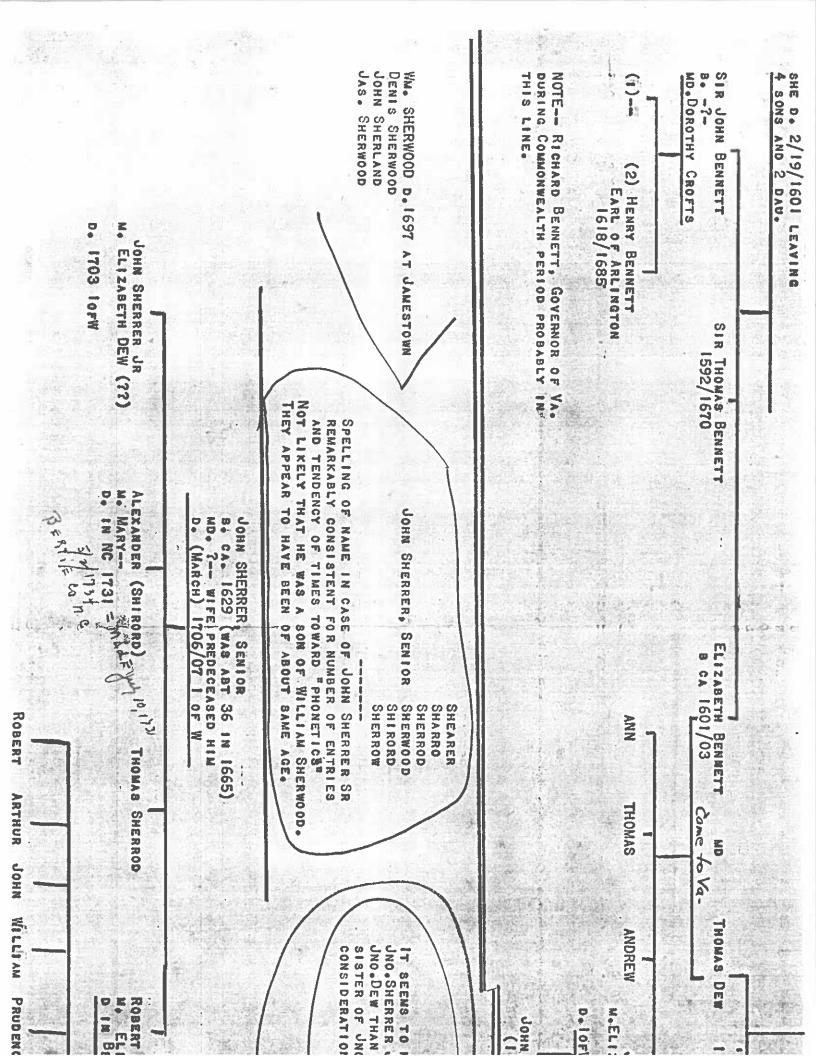
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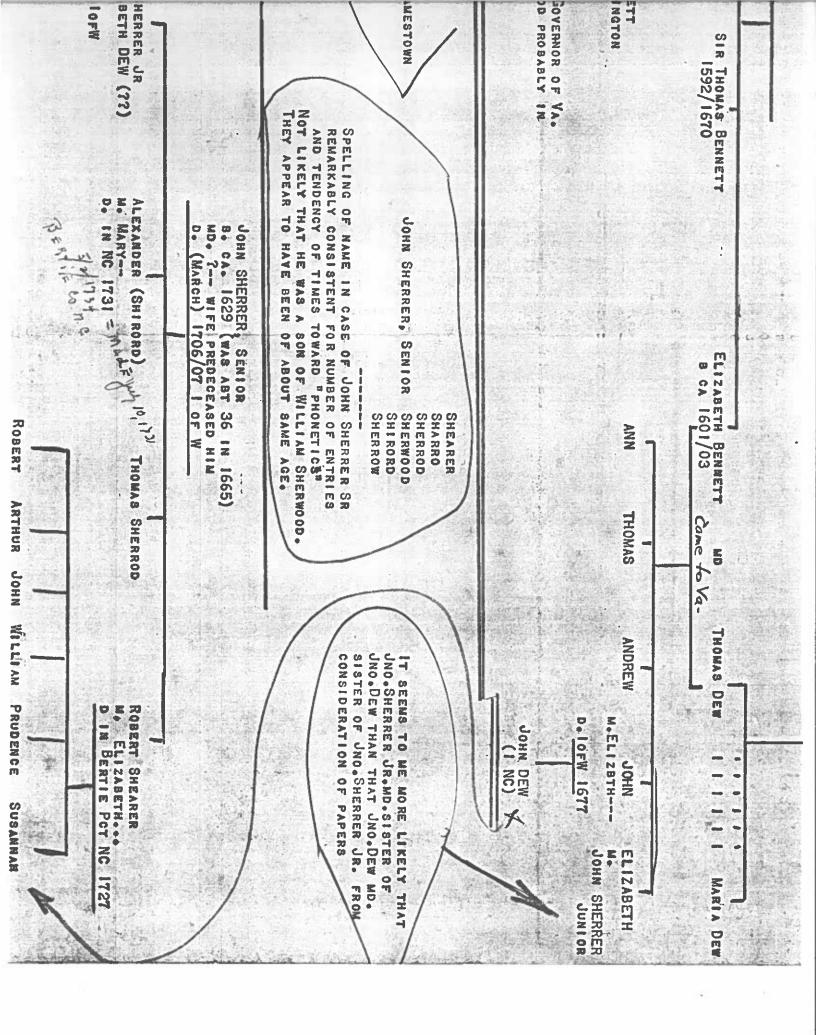
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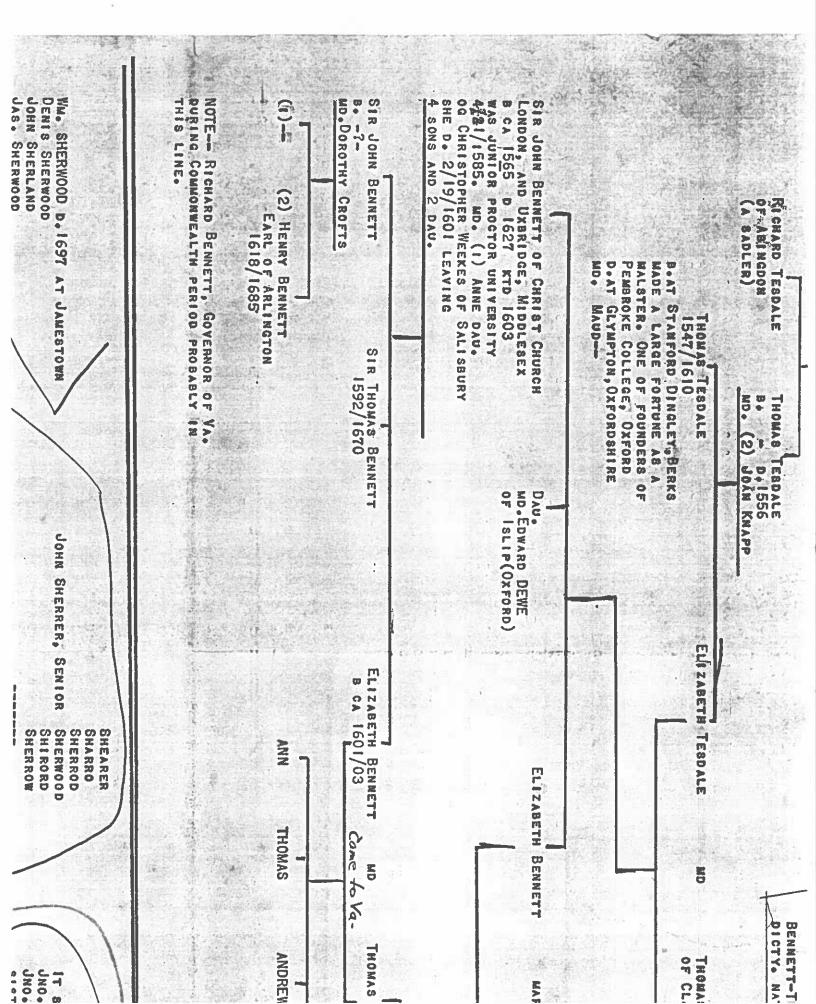
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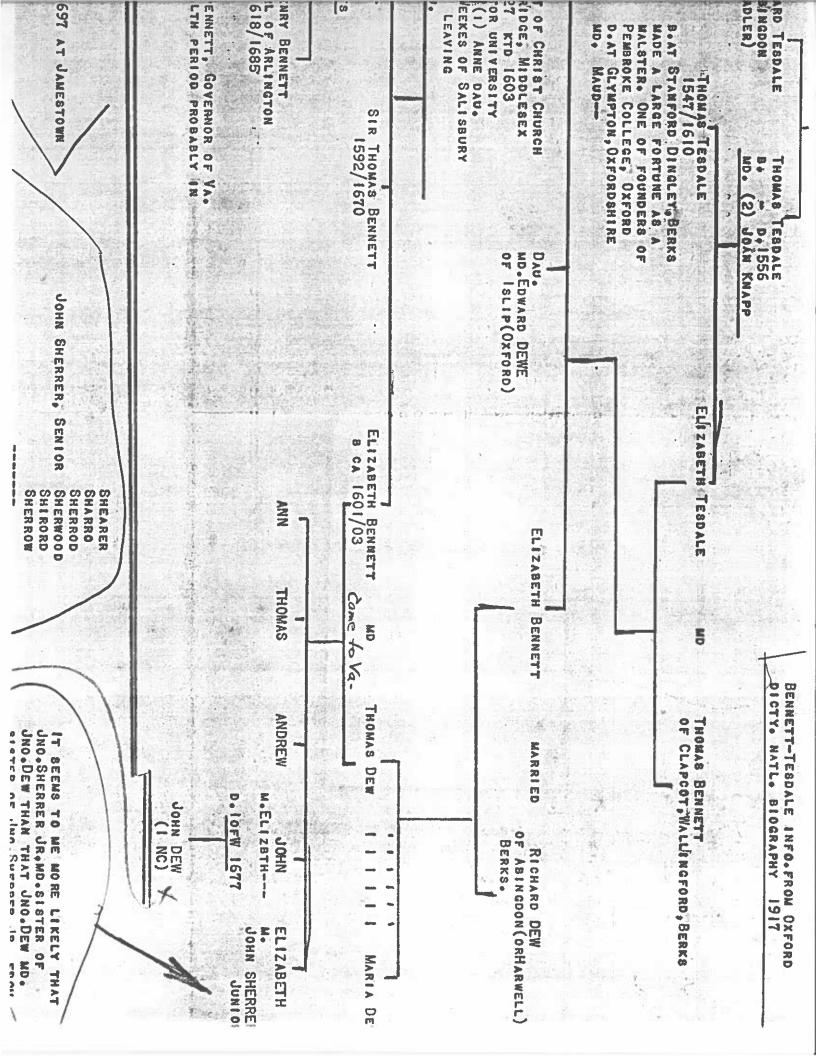
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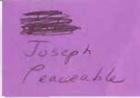
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John williams, John Stevenson Mar. 10, 17047

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Will of John Sherard, Senr. Made Jan. 21st, 1823. Recorded Feb. Court 1823. Wife-- Dorothy Sherard Daughter Mary C. . Handly . Speaks of her children Sons, Babriel and John H. grandson- Gabriel L. Handly grandson- Jonathan S. Brantly

Will of Robert Sherrod Probated Martin Co. N.C. June Court 1779 Mention made Lydia, and John

This line runs,

John Holmes Sherard B 8/31/1855 Living Mar. Sarah Alice DuBose 9/28/1822

John Holmes Sherard B 2/8/1798 D Wayne Co.N.C. D 6/26/1855 Livingston, Ala. Mar. Mary Martha Malvina Arrington Bo 8/3/1839 D 3/31/1862

John Sherard B 2/16/1746 D 2/2/1823 in Wayne Co.N.C. Mar Dorothy Holmes 5/1/1788

Robert Sherard

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Capt John Sheard Charity Matthews(2)

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bef 1705 Isle of Wight, Var Will broved Northampton , Will gives day Charity, but Mrs. Bellamy N.C. Aug. 1753 of N.C. gave wife as Charity, day of James Matthews. Will proved 5/2/1734 Bertie Co.N.C.

John Sherrer

Wil pr. 3/10/1706/7 Isle of Wight, Va.

Have additional data to prove when obstined possessi n of Land in various counties, etc.

Also Bible record thru the first three generations, and family connections, of Arringtons, nd DuBose. Pictures of graves of them...

(Sherrer or Sharro)

Summary of the following pages.

I. John Sherres married Elizabeth ----- (probably a Webster)
In Isle of Wight before 1663, patented land with John Wakefield and died in 1706/7.

had

2. John Sherrer married Elizabeth Dew

He died when he was a young man and before his father did in
the year 1703, his wife survived him 36 years, for her will
is probated in 1737.

had

3. Elinor Sherrer, who married Richard Thomas
She outlived her husband for she is named in his will dated
in 1761.

had

4. Mary Thomas, who married Thomas Whitney Gale.
She died before her husban for he married Sarah Davis a widow in 1787. Mary's son Thomas Whitney was of age in 1787 when he made a deed of gift to sd. son.

had

- 5. Thomas Whitney Ghae marraed

 He died intestate in 1809, the identity of his first wife is
 so far unknown, he married in 1805 as his secon wife Rebecca
 Hancock. A deed on file in the County, proves he left issue,
 Samuel Gale and two daughters, oneethe wife of Ishmael Edwards
 and the other Zachariah Edwards.
- had 6. Polly Gale who married Isham Edwards

had

8. James R. Edwards, who married Narcissa Joyner

9 Laura Leanna Edwards, who married Norvel Paul W. Jones

had 10. Selena

Duplicate

Sherwood

This name is written in the records as Sherwood, Sherrer, Sharro Sherrard. The name was first represented in the Colony in Norfolk County, when the famous trial was held, trying to prove Grace Sherwood was a witch. (See Dr. Squiresarticle)

The most distinguished member of the family was William Sherwood who was Attorney General of Virginia in 1677. He died withou de-

scendents.

John Sherrer is living in Isle of Wight, when the records become consecutive, for on Feb. 9, 1663, the following item is found.

Be it known auto all men by these present, that we George Bell and Hester my wife, have relinguished for tobacco received by us, of John Sherre and John Wakefield, our right to 755 A.

Wit. Francis Hobbs. Robert Kae.

I of Wight Will & Deed Bk. 1. p. 3

Deposition of John Sherrer saying he is 36 years old. Dec. 14, 1665.

W. & D. Bk. 1, p. 65.

William Sherwood of James City County, the Attorney General is witness for several times on Isle of Wight transactions, on the will of Robert Williamson, W. & D. Bk. 2, p. 86; on a deed of John Neblett to Phillip Pardoe, W. & D. Bk. 1, p. 288 and on a deed of George Branch in 1687. Deed Sk. 1, p. 10.

Articles of agreement made and confirmed by us, John Wakefield and John Sherrer both inhabitants of Isle of Wight, this fithe day of Juneflevi. That whereas ye above sd. John Wakefield and John Sherrer are passesst of a tractof land in aforesd. County, bearing date April 1, 1668 ---- to divide sd. land to avoid any trouble, John Wakefield's to begin at ye farthest extent of land at ye middle of the run of Miry Branch, toward John Clarks and Henry west; and all ye ould land John Sherrer is to have, of ye main Branch that ye sd. Sherrer is now seated upon, adjoining Alexander webster. March 17, 1674. w. & D. Bk. 1, p. 333.

Patent to John wakefield and John Sherrer for 1050 A. on the branches of the first Swamp of Blackwater, 700 A. of the patent formerly granted to Christopher Lewis in 1652.

April 5, 1688.

Land Office, Book 6, page 116.

John Sherrer, Planter for a valuable consideration to John Britt Stacksmith, 100 A. in the Upper Parish of Slackwater, part of a satent to sa. Sherrer and John wakerield, begintaming at a planta-sion on which I now live and adjoining Alexander sebster. 1076 170

Wit. Mivard and Margaret Chitty, John Stevenson. Signed Bligabeth Sherrer. I, of W. Deed Bk. 1, p. 27.

Upon the petition of John Sherrer, showing that he is Becurity for the estate of John Richardson deed. Which estate is now likely to be removed out of the County, it is therefore ordered that the sd. Sherrer, assisted by the Sheriff of the County, take ye adeste into his austody and return an account to the next court.

1694. Deed Bk. 1, p. 40.

John Sherrer Sr., do of my own free will, voluntarily give to my som Thomas Sherrer and my loving granddaughter. Elizabeth Sherrer a piece of land jointly beginning at the mouth of a small be branch, being the tract whereon sa. Thomas Sherrer did live, adjoining John Britt's line. April 9, 1701. ing John Britt's line. April 9, 170 wit. Charles Chapman, Robert Brock. Deed Bk. 1, p. 349

Thomas Cook and Mary his wife the daughter of Arthur Jones to Robert Sherrer, 50 A. adjoining the land on which the sd. Sherrer lives, on the Main Blackwater.
Wit. John Britt, Thomas Harris, Richard Holleman.

Deed Bk. 1, p. 383.

Appraisal of the estate of John Sherrer Jr., by william Exum, John Williams and Francis Exum. 1703.
w. & D. Bk. 2, p. 458.

will of John Sherrer: son Alexander: to Elizabeth Sherrer the widow of John Sherrer deed, the plantation on which she lives, reversion to my grandson John Sherer, if without heirs to the next survivor; son Thomas; son Robert 100 A. on the line of John Britt. Jan. 23, 1705. Rec. March 10, 1706/7. wit. John williams, John Stevenson.

w. & D. Bk. 2. p. 480.

will of Elizabeth Sharre; -son John; daughter Elizabeth Thomas; daughter Eleanor Thomas; grandson william Screws. Jan. 8, 1736: Jan. 23, 1737. wit. Luke Wiggs, Joseph Parnall.

w. Book., 4, p. 192.

The inventory of Elizabeth Sherwood was returned by Richard Thomas Will Book, 4, p. 203.

Rough sketch of Sherard.

John Holmes Sherard Born 1855 Living

John Holmes Shearard Born 1798 Wayne Co. N.C. Lied Ala.

John Sherard Porn 1746 Died Wayne CoN.C.

Robert Sherard Born Northampton Co. N.C. Died Martin CoNC

O Capt. John Sherard Born bef 1705 Isle of Wight Co. Va., Dued 1753 nmarried Northampton Co. N.C. Married Charity Mathews (day of James Mathews"

(Will in Isle of Wight

Alexander Sherard

Will proved 1734 Bertie CoN

Will of John Sherrer, Isat of Wight 1705 pr 1706/7 Book II pg 480

John Sherrer Iste of Wight,

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This line, I am not sure if from that county or not, but my own.

My grandmother Louise Eleanor Bobo dau of

James Bobo and Eudora R. Killebrew

James S. Killebrew and Eleanor H. Barry

Buckner Killerbrew(Wayne Co. N.C.) and Mary Whitfield

William Whitfield and Hester Williams (lived in Wayne Co

William "hitfield and Rachel Bryan

Needham Bryan born 1690 D 1770 -- Anne Rambeau 1695-1730

William Bryan(Ireland to Va. 1655) Lady Alice Needham B 1656-1729

mar 1689 in Eng.

Lord Needham, Viscount of Killorey.

I found records in Bertie County, and think that maybe they came from Isle of Wight. Whitfields were from Nansemond. Have the back to Eng. Have 8 Sureties, for/ on my nunnemede about finished.

2 Sutherland Avenue Charleston, S. C. August 29, 1936

Mrs. L. L. Chapman, Smithfield, Va

Dear Mrs. Chapman: --

Thank you very much indeed for the use of the notes, which I am returning herewith.

The reference I had on Thomas Dew, York-a note which reads--"I have seen an inventory of Thomas Dew, who died in York County in 1691.... using the quaker expressions "thee" and "thou"....

One John Dew died Prince George County, 1716. Is there any way to trace that will or inventory?

As to Isle of Wight County I forgot to inquire if Deed books there would furnish any information as to land transfers among the Dews that might help straighten out the line.

And, what are the oldest land records available in Nansemond County? I have been told that the earlier records there were destroyed.

John Sherrer, Jr. This Elizabeth and John, who d. IofW 1677, brother and sister, and appear to have been children of first Thomas Dew. I don't think there is any doubt but that the first John Dew in N.C. was the infant son of the John Dew, d IofW 1677. There is lacking proof that John Dew, d IofW 1677, was a son of the first Thomas. Land transfers might disclose that. Thomas owned a great deal of land in Nansemond and very probably some in Isle of Wight too. There are just too many JOHN Dews in Va. as in N.C. to get them all straight it looks like.

Again thanking you for all your kindness.

Yours sincerely,

Howard P. Dew

P.O.Box 86, Clarksdale, Miss., Feb. 15th, 1940.

My dear Mrs. Chapman,

Many many thanks for the enclosed notes that you sent me, with the order of the two books, -all I have enjoyed, and ask you to please pardon the delay in returning these. They came while I was ill, - infact all family down with flu, and I have had two cases of it, leaving me with old trouble of sinus, which resulted in two nose punctures. With it all, I have not felt like doing any work, - nor even copying, so have just finished them and the line, too. I am so delighted to have your two books and soon hope to have all of them.

I am ecolsoing short sketch of this Sherard line. If at any time you have need of more information concerning that line, will be so glad to send you. With this line, I am working on the Holmes, DuBose, Horne, Vine, and Arrington. Especially do I want to get Colonial records established on this Arrington line. I have it back and all references for it in Nash Co.N.C. but Mrs. Bellamny (N.C. Genealogist would not accept) so then as she s id had to be in b certain time, and I could not get books in Memphis on Sherard to establish Colonial lline, and she wrote that the Sherard line had possibil ities, I secured her service to establish the Colonial line for this party to join The Colonial Dames. She sent me the form, - and passed the paper. But you notice that I have question mark by Charity Mathews as being wife of CaptlJohn Sherard, - and where she gave Lydia as wifex issue of Robt. Sherard for I saw the wills in Raleigh in the Hist. Com. Office //d// in Nov. and Charity is mentioned as dau. and nothing is said about Lydia being wife or So that for that, and now I am more than anxious to get that Arrigton line, - forthey came from Nansemend Co.

I notice in your bok of the Holmes family from there. They were of Duplin Co., before that made into Sampson . Only about 25 scraps of paper to be found in box in Raleigh of that county, left.

I have much data of N.C. and S.C., so if needed will be glad to send you.

So delighted to know that youare up for Nat. Ereasurer of D.A.C and hope that you win out by large majority, - better still no one to run against you. I have just sent my papers off and hope that they were received in time for the Board meeting. Illness prevented getting off sooner.

What would be your charges for working a Bobo line back from Rev. to arrival in America? I am especially anxi us to see if I might get my Huguenot line thru that family, and Miss Hardy, who asked me, wants me to go thru that way. I have a Rev. bar on Sampson Bobo. He was born about 1738(this from D.A.R. papers of first one to enter on said line- Margaret Childs of S.C.) She said he was born in France, but I do not think so. I think that he was born in Va. He died in Union Co. S.C. in 1804 and married Sarah(Sally) Simpson in Spartanburg, S. . The from Culpepper o. Va. born 176 1743 D 18176. Will on file in S.C. But tho, Miss Child's papers gave her as Sally, we have wondered in family if could have been Sally Barham, Simpson or Burwell. Her first boys given those names. And tradition in the family that which there were three brothers, who came from France. Gabriel, and twins Elijah and Elisha. I have some data from France, and of Gabriel. Let me know your charges, please. And will send all data.

Thankingyou for the data, and assuring you I am delighted to have your books, and congratulate you upon them, I am,

(Mrs.)Louise Moseley Heaton

Cordially